GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

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Prices of Drugs
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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

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(a) Whether an inter-ministerial committee has been set up by the Central Government to examine, price fixation of drugs and to evolve a National Drug Pricing Policy;

(b) If so, the details thereof indicating the timelines for presenting report(s) of the committee and framing the National Drug Pricing Policy; and

(c) The steps taken by the Government to improve the poor"s access to drugs?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a): No, Madam

(b): In view of reply to (a) above, does not arise.

(c): The Pharmaceutical Policy as amended from time to time envisages making available quality medicines at reasonable prices to the masses.

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